Republic of Texas }
Washington County } To all whom it may concern, Know Ye, that I, John Braddock of the County of Williams, in said Republic, do by these presents authorize and empower Walter Winn of said Republic and County of Washington, my true and lawful attorney in fact, with full powers to ask, demand, and receive from the proper officers of Government, the amount due me for services in transporting the public Mail in the year 1839, amounting to the sum of three hundred dollars. hereby ratifying and confirming all the lawful acts of my said Attorney, as fully as I could do were I personally present.—

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand at Washington, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1845. in presence of Charles Mariner and John W. Lockhart subscribing Witnesses.—

John Braddock his + mark

Cha Mariner

John W. Lockhart

Republic of Texas } Be it remembered, that on this 25th day
Washington County } of March A. D. 1845, personally appeared before me Joseph Daniels Notary public in and for the County aforesaid, the citizen John Braddock who acknowledged the foregoing Instrument of writing to be his act and deed, and that it was executed for the purposes therein expressed in presence of Cha Mariner and John W. Lockhart who signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at Washington on the Brazos, date above written

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Joseph Daniels
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